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monly called Bentz-Town, bounded on the south by South-street, and on the east by Bentz-street, continuing said street from its intersection with South-street northward until it intersects Secondstreet, and also including Stephen Stoner's dwelling house and tavern stand, to be the first ward; all that part lying east of Bentz-street, south of Patrick-street, and west of Market-street, to be the second ward; all that part lying east of Market street. and south of Patrick-street, or the turnpike road, running with the said road so far as will include Michael Buckey's dwellinghouse and tan-yard, and Jacob Buckey's factory, to be the third ward; all that part lying west of Market-street, south of Secondstreet, east of Bentz-street, and north of Patrick-street, to be the fourth ward; all that part lying east of Market-street, south of Second-street, and north of Patrick-street, or the turnpike road, continuing the said ward castward so far as to include the stone and brick-house now occupied by Jacob Buckey, to be the fifth ward; all that part lying north of Second-street, west of Market. street, and south of Sixth-street, and also including all lots front. ing on the west side of Bentz-street, from Second-street to Fourth-street, to be the sixth ward (a); all that part lying north of Second-street, and east of Market-street, continuing said street northward so far as to include Jacob Lease's dwelling-house and smith-shop, to be the seventh ward; and that the citizens of each respective ward, qualified as aforesaid; shall on the last Monday of February, in the year eighteen hundred and seventeen, and on the same day in every year for ever thereafter, elect one member for the common council of the said town; the election to be held for a member of the common council in each respective ward at such place as shall be designated by the person authorised to hold the election.

(a) By 1818, ch. 140, all that part of the town of Frederick, lying north of Second-street and west of Market street, and including all lots fronting on the west side of Bentz-street, from Second street to Fourth-street, shall be the sixth ward.

Qualifications of mayor, &c.

7. And BE IT ENACTED, That no person shall be mayor of the said town unless he shall be at the time of his election a citizen of the United States, above the age of twenty-one years, a freeholder in the said town, within the taxable limits thereof, actually residing therein, and having resided therein for three years next preceding his election; no person shall be an alderman of the said town, unless he shall be at the time of his election a citizen of the United States, above the age of twenty-one years, actually taxed by the laws of the corporation, residing within the taxable limits of the town, and having resided therein three years next preceding his election; and no person shall be a member of the common council unless he shall be at the time of his election a citizen of the United States, above the age of twenty-one years, a freeholder in the ward for which he shall be elected, residing therein, and having resided within the taxable limits of the said town one year next preceding his election.

Vacancies, how to supplied.

8. And BE IT ENACTED, That in case of the death, refusal, disqualification, resignation, or removal of the mayor out of the taxale elimits of the town, the aldermen, for the time being, shall elect a mayor for the residue of the term; and in case of the death, re-